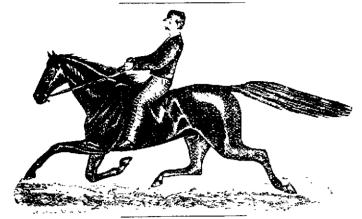
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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Work of the Woman's Club. The February session of the Decatur Woman's Club was held yesterday afternoon in the Gallagher Block, at which Mrs. Dr. Randall presided. Various reports from the sections of the organization were read. The reports showed that the club is in a flourishing condition and that all of the members take great interest in its success and growth. Section I reported through its secretary, Mrs. J. A. Barnes, that the work of the past month had been full of interest and instruction. The members of this section had the pleasure of listening to a lecture by Dr. Randall on "The Higher Education of Women" and have discussed more or less thoroughly the following subjects: Robert Browning and his works, Nellie Bly's trip around the world, R. G. Inger-Women in Business."

The secretary of the third section reported that that section had been engaged in a study of Roman History and had been reading Shakspeare's plays to which great interest had been added by a paper introductory to the study of "Antony and Cleopatra" read to the section by John Powell.

A letter from the president, Mrs. Haworth, now of Chicago, was read. This etter described the work and plans of the Woman's Club of Chicago and was full of interest to the members of the club of this city. The compulsory school law and the report of the truent officer were read and discussed in an informal

The following were admitted to full membership in the club: Mesdames J. M. Patterson, J. W. Sanner, F. M. Cox, T. L. Evans, J. E. King and J. T. Hubbard.

Coming Next Week. Wednesday evening, February 12, the amous Pat Booney's musical comedy company in "Pat's New Wardrobe," A l'oronto exchange says:

"Pat's New Wardrobe" is brimful of good music and clean, legitimate comedy. The musical element is of the best quality, without a doubt, the "Quaker City Quartette" being composed of cultured singers of no mean ability. Kate Rooney is a second "Corinne" in singing and dancing ability and in general appearance, being of the same stature and of very good personal appearance. As for Pat himself, a mere word is sufficient to express his accomplishments. He is a perfect frishman, and Toronto has hardly seen a perfect Irishman on the stage since Pat Rooncy was here two years ago. The house was crowded, and the audience was kept in a roar of laughter all the time, save when the quartette and chorus occupied the platform.

Saturday matinee and night, February 15, Stetson's Big Uncle Tom's Cabin company. The Springfield, Ohio, Times says: The amusement sensation of the season was the appearance here yesterdey at Black's opera house, of the "Barnum" of all Uncle Tom shows—Stetson's Big Spectacular Uncle Tom's Cabin Co, which plays to maked houses assert which plays to packed houses every-where. Yesterday noon Stetson's mammoth double brass band, composed of thirty white and colored musicians, followed by Eva-little Grace Washburn-on her pony, the pet donkey, twelve thoroughbred blood-hounds, and a magnificent steam call:ope, drawn by four splendid dapple-gray horses, paradec through the main streets, and created a public sensation. Stetson's is conceded to be the largest Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. now before the public. There is nothing o compare with it in the country. Popular prices; school children to the

matinee, 15 cents. Troutman Station News.

and to grippe, and we have them all as strong as Prof. Tandy's singing class met last evening

t the home of J. Constant to practice for a con-ert. Our city lights were a great help to them grough town. Uncle Charlie Lewis alled two cars with cattle ere yesterday for Chicago. Robert Holderness had a relapse of his sick

No grain can be moved at present.

S. Troutman, of Bearsdale, was in town this week, and was persuaded to believe natural gases in Bundance at the dale.

Mrs. Frank Ging, of Long Creek, has been sisting her mother, Mrs. R. M. Paak, who is on to poorly with the grip, but is improving C. Glasque has had a very severe attack of the grip, and is confined to his bed.

Several new cases of the grip are reported.
The postmaster is getting ready to sow outs, seed our will be in good demand this spring, so many farmers have neglected it. It is the opinion of all that Postmaster Troutman grew the most solid corn in the neighborhood.

Mr. Hill, of Maroa, is visiting E. L. Houck, of Troutman, but her is a presented better.

Frontman.
And Surah Hebson is reported better
Must Etta Troutman, of Bearsdale, writes she
will romain in the monitain state of Pennysivania until after harvest, and wishes her brother

con as spring opens.

The groundhog couldn't see his shadow in our town last. Sinday.

Sup.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

In Memoriam. Members of Pride Tabernacle No. 32 have Members of This two things and the specific WHEREAS, Brother Abraham Lincoln Bristow, a member of Pride Tabernaele No. 32, has been remewed from our midst by death, and as he was an honorable and exemplary comp man, was called from labor to reward ou the 12th day January, 1500, therefore be it.

Resolved, That in the death of our beloved and esteemed brother we have lost a very active member, an upright Christian and friend, the cince of God having called him from earth to glory to give an account of his stewardship here below. Hoping that our loss is his eternal gain, we consign his body to the earth and commend his spirit to the God who gave it.

Resolved, That this preamble and resolution be spread upon the records of Pride Tabernaele No. 32, and that a copy of the same be sent to the family of our decessed brother.

[Signed] STANTON FIELDS, ALS, HOLLING ER, GEO, ROMINSON, DECATUR, Feb. 4, 1890. idopted the following testimonial of respect

THE only reliable vegetable substitute Tig only relative vegetable statestime for calomel, which acts on the liver, blood, kidneys and stomach, and best anti-bilious purgative is Maguire's Cundurango. Indorsed by Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia; Rev. McNally, of St. Louis, and a host of prominent people.

THE BLIND TWADDLES.

AN OHPO FAMILY OF NINE, NONE OF WHOM COULD SEE.

Their Remarkable Powers, Which Attracted the Attention of Scientific Men Seventy Vegrs Ago-The Death of the Last One Brings Out the Story.

"Blind Andrew Twaddle" remained seated in his pew after the benediction, and his friends and neighbors passed down the aisles. With a calm smile upon his aged face, his large eyes sight-less no more now than they had been during the three score years and four of his life, and turned toward the rude pulpit, he sat quiet and still in death.

"The Bhnd Twaddles," as they were known in this neighborhood, was one of the most remarkable families of this state, and perhaps of the United States, and this was the last one left. Sixty or seventy years ago this family attracted almost universal attention from physicians and scientific men generally throughout the civilized world. The parents, who have long years ago gone over to the majority, had nothing out of the common to distinguish them from their neighbors.

But there were born to them a large family of children, nine in all, and of these the first seven were born entirely blind and the last two had but partial eyesight. Scientific man were utterly at a loss to account for this phenomenon The father and mother had excellent eyesight, and the eyes of their children were large brown and bright, but sightless. They were without optic nerves. In all other respects they were bright soll on "Divorce," Archbishop Ryan on healthy and intelligent children. The "Marriage," and Marion Harland on scientific journals and newspapers of that day had long accounts and various theories regarding this, but why it should have been so is yet a mystery.

The state of Ohio, by a special act of its legislature, deeded to the parents for the support of their children a quarter of a section (160 acres) of the best of the agricultural lands of eastern Ohio, and the farm is known to this day as the "Blind Twaddles section." Upon this farm the young men and women-there were seven boys and two girls-grew up in total darkness, became useful citizens, married and settled in the surrounding community, and reared families in which no trace of biindness is shown. The blind people all lived the prophet's allot-ment of threescore and ten. They were a fine looking family, and when it is considered that these people, who were born blind and lived out their long and useful lives in total darkness, became successful farmers, millers, distillers, etc., it must be conceded that they were remarkable in more senses than that of be

ng blind.

They were as able to go to any place upon their farms or to surrounding towns and perform all their necessary farm work without attendance or help, as if they had perfect eyesight. They cut timber in the woods, made rails, built fences, plowed their lands, sowed and harvested their crops, ran their grist mill and a distillery, worked oxen and horses, and, in fact, learned all of that by intuition which is supposed impossible for people without sight. Many are the queer stories recited by old residents of Lee, London and Fox townships regarding feats performed by this family. Their lands were intersected by numerous deep creeks, which were crossed by foot logs, and these people would go unhesitatingly anywhere along these farm paths, crossing the precarious foot bridges and treading the most intricate ways unerringly.

They could name any tree in the forests by feeling of the bark, select the best ones for any designed purpose, and "fell" them in the most convenient manner for working. Out of such timber they would make rails and build fences when they desired, having them better and straighter than many farmers with eyes. They could take to pieces, repair and place again in working order any kind of machinery with which they were called upon to be familiar, and two of them successfully conducted a flourng mill for the farmers of the vicinity for years.

But perhaps the most remarkable as well as the best authenticated of their acquirements was the power of telling the colors of animals by touch. They were all great lovers of horses, and by placing their hands upon the coat of horse they would instantly tell its color and by feeling its head tell to which sex it belonged. They were excellent judges of horses, and by a few slight touches here and there, and hearing it walk or trot, would pronounce an infallible opinon as to its merits.

A good many years ago one of the "Blind Twaddles" came to this country town on some business. At that time famous hostelry was kept here by James Patton, yet a resident, and Twaddles stopped and quartered himself and horse at his tavern. His presence at the hotel gave rise to a discussion of his wonder ful powers regarding horses, and it was agreed among some of the parties to test it. The landlord had a splendid sorrel team, of which one, however, was a good deal better than the other. When Mr. Twaddle, who was riding a brown mare. called for his horse, the stableman placed the trappings upon one of the sorrels and led it forth. As Twaddle put his hand upon the animal's neek preparatory to mounting, he stopped and said: "You've made a mistake; this is not my horse."

The beating applicational and changing

The hostler apologized and, changing the bridle and saddle, brought out the other of Mr. Patton's sorrels. Twaddle, perhaps suspecting a joke, as he listened nemaps suspecting a joke, as the instence intently as the other horse was led up, went forward, placed his hand upon the horse's head and said at once: 'This is another sorrel horse, a 'single footer,' and a much better one than you showed me before. But please bring out my brown mare, as I am in a hurry to start

This story, as well as many others equally remarkable as instancing the wonderful intuition of these people, is well vouched for. By the death of Andrew the last of the family has vanished, and the "Bhind Twaddle section" is now ton (U.) Cor. St. Louis Globe-Democrat

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A Hint for Young Girls.

When your sweetheart comes to see you, don't be foolish enough to confine your sweetness to him alone. Have him in where all of the rest of the household are. Let the talk and the chatter and the music and the playing of games be in the home circle. Then the few minutes that he gets with you by yourself will seem all the more delightful, and he will think you the most loving little creature in the world. Men are much more observant than they are credited with being, and the man worth having as a husband is the one who will appre ciate your love for those of your own people and will see that as you make a small part in one home, you are becoming adapted for the central figure in another.

Never say that you don't expect a man to marry your whole family. It's vul-gar. You do. That is, if you are a good daughter and a loving sister. You want him to be one with you in sympathy and in affection, and as you take his name, so you assume responsibilities as far as his people are concerned. You two are the most to each other-your love for each should be the greatest, but you cannot isolate yourselves and insist that you have no duties outside your own home. If you do this you become narrow and selfish, and you are quite too nice a girl for that. So remember when he comes this bridegroom of yours, that his heart is bound the tighter to you if the ribbon used to hold it has written upon it in golden letters, "Love and consideration for those at home."-Ladies' Home Jour

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Adjusters, are requested to make some temperature the undersigned.

Dated this 5th day of February, 1890

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The Jury Bribery Cases in Chicago "We do not propose that the Republican mailority shall pass a single measure without our consent. In other words, we propose to ever cise control of the House just as much as though we were still in the majority, because we know that our minority is strong enough to make us the virtual rulers.

It was in words of this import that Mr. Roger Q. Mills unfolded the plans of the Democratic party to a newspaper interviewer. With an impudence that the late leader of the house was not ashamed to own he proclaimed the purpose of the Democratio party to control the legislation of the House of Representatives, albeit the people of the nation bad proclaimed their intention to have it otherto be, be evidently spoke by the card, for | feared it is impossible to save the rethe entire Democratic party of the country naited with one voice in the claim. With one accord the party clamoreds for the "right" to dictate to the majority what it should do, and with a well dissembled air of indignation it phaneaically spoke of the right it always possessed to override the more numerous votes of their opponents. So accustomed has the Democratic party become to ruling by divine right that it seems to have grown to be a second nature to it, and its expo nents do not even blush to assert that it "does not propose to allow the Republi can majority to pass a single measure without our corsent"- that is, the minority does not propose to allow the ron jority to exercise its right to govern. Did impudence ver assume mote? THE ruling of Speaker Reed is begin-

ning to bear fruit, the first deliberative body to a loot his printing being the eenate of Montan . which the Democrats have persisted in paring in a dig in the manger policy for a number of weeks. A motion having been made yesterday to take up bitls from the Republican House the year and mays were demanded by ta-Democrats. When the vote was taken the Democrate refused to vote, but it their atter astonishment the heutenant governor counted the two Democrats as present and announced the motion curin the county. Those hving outside pay

THE Democrats threaten, when they get into power, to follow the precedent \$150 a year tuition. He had written his of counting members as present when in the House, even if not voting. This is right. The precedent is a good one, and ought to have been established long ago. It is a matter of the first importance, and should be independent of all partisan considerations and exigences. If the theory that legislatures meet to legislate be the correct one, this rule must be ugidly, religiously observed. The Republic cans are not afraid of the precedent. Col. William T. Downald, late of the

People National Democrat and post office, her removed to Conney and settled down to a quiet life and the companionship of a most chaiming bran new wife. We are not surprised, therefore, at the intelligence that comes up from the region of the Sny Carte Lavee to the effect that Le proposes to chake his ambrosial locks around over the territorial limits of the Twelfth Congressional District, in a tussel with the Hon. Scott prayer. Wike for the Democratic Congressional nomination this year. Scott Wike has ary 19. been twice elected from "old Pike," and we are in favor of a change. Let the honors go around, and if it doesn't soon | The point of wisdom is to chek them by come Downish's turn we fear the years will eateh up with him and pass, him by of Salvation Oil. Price, 25 cents. in the race. Rah for Dowdall

coming election in this state, exclusion, in the magnitude of its wants, "We want Illinois." It has always been in the habit of "wanting the earth," but has been compelled to content itself with a small and maignificant portion of it. But in the magnifude of its bounty is still hungers and thirsts for this charons commonwealth the grandest and proudest of the whole category and it will continue to "want" and wait for a couple of generations to come, until wearied with | O. Jones and his assistants. In the first the delay the hungry old back will give part the honors were carried off by Fred it up in diegnst. Funeral of Mrs. Vize

the audience; Will Millspaugh, Tem Brown and others Frank Zimmerman The funeral of Mrs. A. F. Vize tool made another late; the xylophone solo, place this afternoon from the family residence, St. North Main, street. She died of consumption, aged 35 years. The deceased came here from Kertneky with Jones brought down the house repeather husband less than time years ago. edy. The delivery with the laughable and he has since served as a sales can for the New York Store, for F. L. Harrand quite a number had to go home in the Linn & Sernggs. She was a con- bent ears after the show. Fred was also great christian, and was a faithful men or of the Christian church. She was a ver Buskirk, Faunce, Millsonigh, Rike, Eln ne. very strong physically, and during a sist Copper, Bryson, Winegardner and Joe to relatives in Kentucky last summ-Eapert took part. That piente was a contracted a severe cold which devel ned into consumption. She has had attender care and kind attention with an loving husband could provide, but noing could stay the progress of the find disease. She leaves a husband and two daughters, eged 13 and 10 years. A large number of ".iends attended the functal and the negro includes, by Brown, which was conducted by Rev. T. W. Fin-Last evening Justice Hammer bad

John Shaffer before him on a change of was chain lightning. vagrancy, lodged by Officer Leact, who made the arrest. He wis given thirty days in the county jail.

"Two Old Cronies."

Those who enjoy a play full of delightful songs well rendered, and comical points and situations well brought out. were highly entertained at the Grand last evening. The attraction was "Two Old Cronies" Mesers, Wills and Hen-shaw and Miss May Ten Broeck are clever srtists, and their efforts to please were awarded by continuous applause. They kept the ball of fun rolling from the going up of the curtain until the play was over. The audience called the vorites out again and again.— Omaha "Two Old Crontes" will be at the

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Men Killed.

WORLD'S FAIR.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 6 -1 p. m. The

Senate to-day reconsidered and passed

the World's Fair bill by a vote of 18 to 5.

DEATH IN A MINE.

Special to the Rupt purchs

Chicago, Feb. 6+1 p. m.—A cablegram

from London on the awful explosion in

Colliery Abersychan, Monmouthshire,

PUT OFF.

Special to the Republic AS

CHICAGO, Feb. 6, 1 p. m. Argument

in the jury-bribing cases goes over till

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT

Presiding.

THURSDAY, FEB. 6.

PROPERSON OFFI.

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ony. Aerda t, guilty as to larer by. Senteace

The Facts About Winslow.

Mrs. J. T. Winslow, of Warrensburg.

writes us a note in reference to her un-

formunate son, J. A. Winslow, who is now

receiving medical treatment at kanka-

ben Albert was attending the Poly-

technic Institute at Worcester, Mass.,

when he became sillicted. It was not a

Free Academy, only free to those living

stitute. He wrote again from Washing-

ton and three times from Chattanoo a.

The trouble the young man had at Ed-

wardsville started from his getting into

the wrong car. He was taku g a mechan-

real, not a mining, course at the instr-

Society Meeting.

There was a very interesting and enter-

taining meeting of the Young People's

Missionary Society held at the Univer-

salist church 1 st evening. The follow-

The meeting closed with a song and

The next meeting will be held Febru

"Highyses, desperate grown, by despe-

rate appliances are relieved,or not at all,"

fore they reach so far by buying a bottle

of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup should be

bought and used according to the direc-

The Minstrel Show.

The Minetrels were greeted by a large

and appreciative audience last night at

the Grand to witness the elever perform-

ance- original in conception and pleasurg

in execution. It could not have been

otherwise under the direction of Fred

Jones, who spring several new tokes on

and Cash Faunce, C. Winegardner and Ed

Cooper were great in their dancing spec-

alties, "Remarks on Crime" by Fred

business" convulsed the spectators, and

in the piente afterpiece in which Ed.

corker. Frank M. Ross, the Egyptian

juggler, is always good in his work, which

is the result of years of practice. He is

now tilling an engagement with the

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musical gents by Prof. Waiter, on the

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ions in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, re-

seived by G. C. Unidwell, Secretary Deon-

WHEAT-7578 Feb; 7678 Mar; 781, May

Сови—28°, Feb; 29¹, Mar; 31¹в Мау. Оатв—21 Feb; 21¹, Mar; 22³s May. Ровк—\$9.72 Feb; 89.80 Mar; \$10.05

Land-\$5,80 Feb; \$5.85 Mar; \$6.00

Ribs-\$4.77 Feb.; \$4.77 March; \$4.95

.ay. Live Btook—Estimated receipts— Hogs

28,000; market steady.
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W. B. Robinson, J. W. Redman and Isaac

n were F. L. Me Williams, J. W. Jones,

Court convened at 8:30 a. m.

Special to the PEP1 BLP AN.

Passed by the New York Sen-Portland, Me., Visited by a Costly ate 18 to 5. Conflagration.

A Colliery Horror in England--300 BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN INCENDIARY.

> Wharves, Houses, Vessels and Merchandise Destroyed-A Bad Fire at Brooklyn-Bridge Burned at Westfield, N. Y.

Portland, Me., Visited by a Coatly Conflagration.

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 6 .- One of the most disastrons fires that has visited them. this city in many years occurred last night, three wharves and the buildings thereon being destroyed. The fire started in M. P. Emory's building, on Brown's wharf, used as a store-Colliery Abersychan, Monnouthshire, house for hogsheads, and is believed to says: "Three hundred miners in prisoned, have been incendiary. The flames shot across the passageway to J. H. Hamlin wise. And impudent and arrogant as Mr. Mills asserted the policy of his party. Many were badly hurt, and it is stroyed, and then communicated to the Berlin mills wharf, at the lower end of which I rank Dudley had two million feet of lumber. This was destroyed. The fire was checked in this direction, after considerably damaging the Boston & Maine railroad wharf. East of Brown's wharf is the Mer

chants' wharf, where the Portland Yacht Club-house is tocated. The club-house was bally damaged and bonded warehouse No. 41 was somewhat damaged. On Brown's wharf J. O. Whiting & Co., of Boston, had considerable quantity of molasses burned. The schooner Pres-cett Hazeltine, 366 tons, Captain Kneel-January Term Judge E. P. Vail and, owned in Belfast by Calvin Harvey and others which was lying at Brown's what bound for Point Apitre with three months' stores, was barned. She was loaded with shooks from J. H. Ham-People vs. Frank Foster, forgery and ultering was loaded with shooks from J. H. Rum-longed theese. Trial by jury penetro. The lim & Co., and lumber from Fank Dudley, which were entirely burned.

Another Bad Fire. BLOOKIAN, Teb. 6-The American Matting Company's building on Spencer street was burned about midnight last night, with a large stock of raw material and manufactured goods. The loss is estin ated at \$200,000. Six firemen were inpured. The fire was a very flerce one owing to the inflammable nature of the stock, and the building, a four-story structure, 200 feet square, was destroyed in a remarkably short time. The flames spread to surrounding dwellings, and a large number of families were compeled McFarland's wall-paper factory and

several dwellings were also destroyed. The fire was then gotten under control. Bridge Burned. WESTI BUD, N. Y., Feb. 6 -About one hundred feet of the wood-work of the

parents that he intended I-asing the Iniron bridge on the Nickel Plate railroad spanning the Chantauqua creek was burned yesterday morning. All traffic is stopped, and unloss a cross-switch is put · Lake Shore railroad tracks used it will be some time before the trains can be moved. AN IMPORTANT PROPOSAL

For a Perpetual Lease of the Chesa peake & Ohio Canal.

ANN VPOLIS, Md., Peb. 6. - A proposal rom the Washington & Camberland Railroad Connany, an organization in corporated within the past few days, was submitted to the Legislature yesterday, for a perpetual lease of the Chesapeake & Ohio canti. The proposal was accompanied by a messaga from the Governor arging its accept ance. According to the terms of the proposal, the Washington & Comberland Railroad Company promise to built a railroad along the entire length of the anal from Cumberland to Washington. It guarantees to pay to the State treasor seventy thousand dollars for outstanding claims for labor and material rote January 1, 1877, to January 1, 1890. Also to pay thirty thousand dollars, the arrount of judgments recovered in the Circuit Court of Allegheny County in "Conspiraces no somer should be 1889 against the Sanat. Also to pay the A Bourson paper, in speaking of the common than executed," and a co'd state within a smooths twenty-five per coming election in the state, exclaims, in should no sooner be taken than a bottle count of SELSE, of the count bonds of the Rull's Count Syrun should be it agrees to pay to the State fifteen thousand dof.ars annually thereafter. The road is to be completed one year

It is most probable that the lease will be made. This will be of incalculable benefit to the West Virginia Central and the Western Maryland railreads. It will give the former another route t the Eastern market for its coal, which will come over the canal road to Willamsport, and thence via the Western Marcland to Baltimore. The suit now pending in the Circuit Court at Hagerstown for a receiver, and which it being pushed by the Baltimore & Ohio, will be delived long enough to allow the lease

An Edge-Tool Trust to be Organized. Philisht men. Pa., Feb. 6.—Representa tives of the leading axe manufactories f the United States met here yesterday to torm a combination or trust to con trol the trade of edge tools in the United States. A committee was appointed to meet here on the 11th to formulate dans, and a general meeting will be held in New York the latter part of this month - t. W. Mackey, who organized the White Lead Trust is at its head A Defeated Husband's Refuge.

CITATIAND, O., Feb. 6.- Mrs. Schoolek, of No. 812 Scrauton avenue. told her husband yesterday morning that she was going out calling. Tony different, and a fight ensued. Mrs. Schootek was victorious, and proceeded to make acreall. After she had gone Tony saturated a bed with coal oil, set fire to it and got in. He was fatally Green, Winegardner and Bryson, were burns strong features of the entertunment, aged. burned, and the house was badly dam

The Sixth National Bank Examination N: w Yonk, Feb 6 - The examination Ex-President Chasen of the Sixth National was believe before the United States Commussioner Austerday. For Ing was adjointed autil to-day.

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RULES IN CAUCUS. THE TRACY FUNERALS. Closing Scenes of the Sad Event which

and Consider Them.

noon was not characterized by that har-

mony that existed during the last cau-

cus held by the Republicans. The cau-

ous was called to order soon after the

House adjourned, by Mr. Henderson, of

Illinois, the permanent chairman. Mr.

McKinley, as the representative of the

committee on rules, was recognized, and

proceeded, while he read the new code

prepared by the Republican members of

the committee, to explain what changes

had been agreed to, and their various

meanings. Mr. McKinley was assisted

in explaining by Mr. Cannon. As each

rule was read it was explained, and aft-

erwards debated and amended or adopt-

ed. The first change of importance that

was passed on was the new rules allow-

ing the Speaker to determine what are

dilatory motions. The new rules mak-

ing one hundred members a quorum ir

committee of the whole and authorizing

the Speaker to count members present

but not voting, in order to make up a

quorum, were also adopted. The last-

mentioned rule provides that the clerk,

under the direction of the Speaker,

shall note the names of members pres-

the Speaker to be read.

son election case.

return to the House.

cluded.

ent and not voting, and hand the list to

This is probably the most radical

change provited for in the new code.

By adopting it the Republican members

sustain Speaker Reed's rulings during

the recent contest over the Smith-Jack

The other important changes in the

new rules, adopted by the caucus were

those providing for three calendars of

business to be known as the "Union,"

the "Private" and the "House" calen-

dars; providing that the House shall

not make new legislation on appropria-

tion bills; closing debate in committee

of the whole; abolishing as priviledged

metions to take a recess or adjourn over

to a set date; allowing but one motion

to adjourn to be entertained when any

proposition is under consideration; the

restoration of the morning hour, and

the taking up of House bills amended

by the Senato immediately upon their

Respecting the morning hour, it is

provided that it shall last for sixty min-

utes, and shall be devoted to the con-

sideration of bills reported by commit-

amendment in the shape of a substitu-

will continue until the subject is con-

Concerning the rule providing against

There was considerable debate on a

ten the name of the appropriate commit-

The various changes were not, how-

ever, adopted without considerable

discussion, some of the subject mat-

mained in session until a few minutes

caucus was held last night in the House.

The new code of rules prepared by the

Republican members of the committee

on Rules was the single topic of discus-

sion. Unlike those who attended the

Republican caucus yesterday afternoon, the Democratic members did not have

copies of the new code to follow. Mr.

Carlisle in his explanation of the

changes that are contemplated in it,

read each rule in turn and, following

the example of Mr. McKinley at the

Republican caucus, explained the new

features. There was little discussion.

It was agreed that Mr. Carlisle should

ask the Republicans for more time to

defiberate on the proposed changes

The caucus then, at 9:30 p. m., ad-

The American Shipping and Industrial League.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The fourth an-

nual convention of the American Indus-

trial League opened here at three o'clock yesterday afternoon. About two

hundred and fifty delegates, represent-

zations in nearly every State and Terri-

Congressman Joseph Wheeler, of Ala-

bama, president of the league, called

fervent address of encouragement on the

patriotic and economic work before the

after seven o'clock last evening.

any time to a limited extent.

carried his point.

toe on them.

much dissent.

Tracy, occurred yesterday, service being held at the Executive Mansion. By the time arranged for the funeral-SHIPPING AND INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE. oleven o'clock-there was a jam at he gates and the driveway, and the sur-ounding streets were crowded with car-Mr. Edmund's Resolution Supplemental lages. The East room, where the servto the Samoan Treaty-A Court of Patent Appeals-Congressional.

ces were to be held, was crowded. In the center of the room were the two caskets, of mother and daughter, side by side. At the head of the caskets was placed a large spreading palm, the branches of which hung in graceful curves over the two biers. The caskets The New Rules Considered in Republican Caucus. were hardly visible because of the mass WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The Republic-

At eleven o'clock the services began with the singing by the Schubert Quartette of "I Can Not Always Trace the Way." Then the procession of clergy, followed by a long line of choristers from Dr. Douglass' church (St. John's), emerged from the state dining-room, singing as they proceeded. Following came Secretary Tracy and his son Frank, General Catlin, Robert Graves and wife, the President and Mrs. Harrison, Vice-President and Mrs. Morton. Secretary Blaine and wife, Lieutenant Mason and Mr. Raymond, naval secretary and private secretary respectively to Secretary Tracy; officers of the navy and bureau chiefs, army officers and others.

of flowers which were heaped upon

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The funeral of

Mrs. Tracy and her daughter, Miss Mary

The regular Episcopal services for the dead were recited by Dr. Douglass, of St. John's. The hymn, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," was then rendered by St. John's choir. Dr. Elliott read the lesson of the dead, which was followed by the choir singing "Rock of Ages," in which those present joined. Dr. Doug-lass recited the Lord's Prayer and gave final benediction, which closed the serv

Sixteen trim sailors stepped forward and bore the caskets to the two hearses, followed by the pall-bearers, mournerand relatives. The pall-bearers were: For Mrs.

Tracy, Secretaries Windom, Proctor. Noble and Rusk; Attorney-General Wana-Miller. Postmaster - General maker, Admirals Porter and Rogers Major-General Schofield and J. S. F. Stranahan. For Miss Tracy: Passed Assistant Surgeons W. D. McClurg and Robert Whiting, and Passed Assistant Paymaster A. K. Michler, C. S. N.; and dessrs. Charles M. Ray, Frank Lee. Frederick McKenny, John Biddle and Charles Johnson. The hearses were each drawn by two

white horses. They proceeded to Rock Creek Cemetery side by side. Among those who followed the remains to the cemetery were the President and Mr. Frank Tracy, Vice-Presi-

dent Morton and General Catlin and Mr. and Mrs. Graves. The remains were placed, with brief ceremony, in the receiving vaults, where they will rest for the present. Secretary Tracy, after the ceremony retired to his apartments in the White House. He bore up remarkably well,

but Mr. Frank Tracy's grief was sogreat that at the conclusion of the services he was assisted from the room Secretary Tracy left the East room on the arm of the President. President Harrison subsequently joined Mr. Frank

Tracy. The East room was intolerably close during the services and two of the choir boys were taken out in a fainting condition. Among those who were present were: Senators Edmunds, Hale, Spooner, Voorheese and Hiscock. Representatives McKinley, Richardson and McKenna;

Chaplain Butler of the Senate: ex-Senator Davis, of West Virginia; Count D'Arco Valley, Sir Julian Pauncefote, Assistant Secretaries of State Wharton and Adee, Admiral Ramsey, Judge-Advocate-General Remy, members of the Japanese Legation, General Bennet, Indian Commissioner Morgan and Brigadier-General Greely, chief signal off.cer. Fortland, Ore., in Danger from Floods. NEW YORK, Feb. 6. - For several days past the city of Portland and several

other points in Orogon have been prac-tically cat of from telegraphic communiyesterday afternoon by the Postal Telegraph Company at Montreal, by C. R. Hosmer, of the Canadian Pacific, and forwarded by him to the United Press Portland is in danger from floods. The mossage which came from Portland was

The water is now flooding First street and The water is now nooding First streets is suspended, as the only means of communication is by small boats. The Pacific Postal Telegraph office from is flooded with water, and the river is still rising. There is no now programment by both programments and the sing. news from the South.

The Greatest Flood Ever Known in Southern Oregon.
San Francisco, Feb. 6.—A dispatch

from Jacksonville, Ore., says: A phenomenal rain-storm has prevailed in Southern Oregon since Friday, which, in connection with the melting of the snow in the mountains, has caused the greatest flood known since the country was settled. The damage to Southern Oregon can not be estimated as yet, because postal communication is so uncertain and limited that surmise can only be made of the ravages of the water on the line of the numerous tributaries of the Rogue river.

Failure of a Miners' Strike. MARQUETTE, Mich., Feb. 6.—About half the strikers at the Volunteer mine came to the company's office yesterday morning and asked for the pay which had been offered them Tuesday. They were paid and at once went to their homes. This leaves but half the origin al number out, and no trouble is anticipated. Sheriff Adams and his posse are still on the scene, and will probably try to arrest the ring-leaders. New men are in the strikers' places, and mining is going on as before.

Killed by the Explosion of an Oil Still LIMA, O., Feb. 6.-By the explosion of an oil still in the Standard works at this place vesterday. Patrick Ryan was killed and five others injured, none of

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INSPECTION SOLICITED.

Mr. Frederick Fraley, of Philadelphia, president of the National Board of Trade, and Mr. A. Foster Higgings, of New York, delivered addresses. The convention will remain in session sev-Both Parties in the House Meet

The Samoan Treaty. WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.-In the secret session yesterday afternoon the Senate had under consideration the resolution offered Tuesday by Mr. Edmunds as supplemental to the Samoan treaty, setting forth that when the treaty was negotiated, it was with the understanding on the part of the United States that the rights of the United States to the harbor of Pago-Pago were in no way infringed by it. This resolution was debated at some length, and on a mo tion to lay it on the table a large major ity voted in the affirmative; but no quorum voting, the question went ove an cancus in the House yesterday after-

A Court of Patent Appeals.

until the next secret session.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.-The House committee on the judiciary has ordered a favorable report on the Culberson bil for the creation of a court of patent ap peals. The bill provides for five judges at salaries of \$7,500 each. The court is to be a court of final appeal, and is designed to relieve the United States Supreme Court of the patent cases that under the present law are appealed to CAPITAL CHAT.

Rear Admiral Stephen P. Quackenbush, U. S. N. (retired), died at his residence on Columbia read, Tucsday night, aged sixty-

He Senate committee of finance, through its sub-committee, gave a hearing at half-past two o'clock yesterday afternoon to a delogation of New York importers who are opposed to the McKinlay Customs Administrator 5.11 ...The bill prepared by the sub-committe

of the World's Fair committee was presented to the full committee yesterday and adopted after an amendment appropriating \$1,50,000 for the construction of a building for Government exhibits had been agreed

FIFTY-FIRST CONGRESS. (First Session.) SENATE.

Washington, Feb. 5.—After the transaction of morning business, Mr. Moody offered a resolution empowering the sorgent at arms to rent a room or rooms in the vicinity of the Capitol for the use of the committee on

the Capitol for the use of the committee or single per month, the lease to terminate with this session of Congress.

Mr. Hutler wanted to amend this resolution so as to provide for renting quarters for all committees not provide for. A long debate followed, participated in by nearly all the manufact of the Senate who were present. followed, participated in by hearty an immembers of the Senate who were present. The architect of the new terrace, Mr. Olimsted, came in for a great deal of criticism because he had advised against cutting windows in the front of the terrace which would have made the underground rooms ava At the conclusion of the delate, the reso-

Mr. Platt called up tho bill to establish a temporary form of government in Oklaho-mu, and it was road in part. It was then ul-

lowed to go over until to-morrow. The Blair Educational bill was taken up, and The Blair Educational bill was taken up, and Mr. Blair proceeded to address the Senace. Mr. Blair said that at the present time there were in the United States six millions of children of school age not enrolled in the schools and for whom there was no accommodation in existing school structures. It would require 120,000 school buildings to supply that accommodation. One-third of the schildren of the republic was greater than commodation. tees. If, at the close of the hour, the matter is undisposed of, a motion to go into committee of the whole on a certain measure may be made. To this an tion of another bill may be made, and should this be lost, the morning hour ply that are of this republic (whose existence depended on the intelligence of its citizens) were growing up without means of education. The total cost of the required school buildings would be \$86,000,000. Mr. Blair reviewed the history of the Edu

new legislation on appropriation bills, autional bill. It had passed the Senato three times and still it had not become a law. He spoke of the general approval given to it from all sections of the country, and said it was indersed by the great mass of intelligence of the United States.

Mr. Sherman here interrupted Mr. Blair to report from the containtee on 'areign relations resolutions congratulang the people of Brazil on the adoption of a republican form of government, to will resolved. That the United Sintes of America congratulates the people of Brazil on their last mathematical in the property of the government, based upon the free consent of the governet, and upon their recent adoption of imes and still it had not become a law. He it was explained to the caucus that the committee of the House having charge of appropriation bills will be allowed, under the rules. to report legislation at

proposition submitted by Mr. Atkinson, of Pennsylvania, to amend the proposed rules by making pensions matter of privilege. The discussion waxed hot

upon this, but Mr. Atkinson finally Another section of the rules reported to the cancus and agreed to, provides that bills be laid on the clerk's desk for reference by the Speaker. This does away with bill day, and if this section is adopted in the House the titles of bills introduced will not be read to the

ment, based upon the free consent of the governed, and upon their recont adoption of a republican form of government.

This joint resolution is reported as a substitute for that of Mr. Morgin, introduced on the 18th of December and referred to the committee on foreign relations. It omits the words "expressed in their republished in marchic rule." It also omits seen if puragraphs declaring the recognition of the United States of Brazil "as a lawful and rightful government," and directing the President to require the people and officers of the United States to recognize the flag of a free, sovereign and independent State." House, and they will be sent to the Pub-lic Printer after the Speaker has writfree, sovereign and independent State."
The Senate then, at four o'clock, went in executive session, and at 5:25 p. m., ad

ter being objected to as entirely too There was a tack understanding between the Republicans and Democrats that no bus-iness would be transacted by the House to While there was not that unanimity that prevailed at the caucus which first considered the rules, the day. A large number of members attended the funerals of Mrs and Miss Tracy. code, as a whole, was accepted without The clerk read the journal in an abridged form, and it was declared approved—year 15c, nays none—the Speaker counting a constitutional quorum. The House then, at 12 45 p. m., on motion of Mr. Nelvinlor achievement The caucus met at 1 p. m. and re-A Democratic Caucus on the New Rules. McKinley adjourned.
The Republicans immediately went into WASHINGTON, Feb. 6 .-- A Democratio

caucus, and a Democratic caucus was announced for ! 30 p. m. Abandoned in a Sinking Condition.

Boston, Feb. 6 .- The ship Josephine, from New York for Dantzig, with oil. was disabled by heavy soas. January 24. Five men were washed overboard and one fell from the jib-boom. The vessel

was abandoned January 26 in a sinking condition Captain Pulle and seven men, the survivors, were taken off by the steamer Thanemere, from London which arrived here vesterday. The Thanemore had a very stormy passage. Her life-boats were smashed, cattle fittings carried away and rails damaged. Serious Charge Against a Letter Carrier.) <u>i</u> Philadelphia, Feb. 6.—John McGet-

tigan, a letter carrier, became intoxicated Monday night, and instead of delivering his pouch full of letters, took them home and threw them into the stove. His landlady rescued most of them, but some were destroyed. Mc-Gettigen was committed to jail yestering commercial and industrial organi- day in default of bail. G. A. R.

Boston, Feb. 6.-The annual encampment of the Massachusetts Urand Army of the Republic began here yesterday the meeting to order and delivered a General Alger, Commander-in-Chief, addressed the comrades in advocacy of the immediate passage of the Dependent Pension bill. How's This.

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We commence to-day the SAC-RIFICE SALE to CLEAR OUT what stock we have left in our China and Glassware Departments.

We have no room to show this stock except during holiday times, as the space devoted to it belongs to our Clock Department, and we must have it NOW. Come Early, we have some Bargains in CUT GLASS, Fine China Ice Cream Sets, and Fancy Pieces, and about requested. a HALF DOZEN FULL DINNER SETS, all of which will be SACRI-FICED.

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THURSDAY EVE., FEB. 6, 1890.

LOCAL NEWS.

TAKE advantage of the great sale of

THE ladies brag on the bread they make when using the White Foam flour.

THERE will be great fun at the Grand

Saturday night when "The Two Old Cronies" comedy will be given.

and James Smock were fined \$3 and costa each for drunkenness.

FAMILY group pictures are perfectly taken at Den Chamberlain's gallery. THE regular monthly meeting of the

No hall show to-night. See the Battle of Gettysburg representation and hear the lecture at the Grand tomorrow after-

This evening the union revival executive committee will meet to decide finally on the place of holding the revival to begin Sunday, March 2d.

TER give an entertainment Thursday

ton on Feb. 25th. Over 25 horses will

DEAL with the Moore Bros. on North Water street. They have a complete stock of family groceries.

JOHN CODERRY, an employe in the Vabash car shops, while attempting to ent a bolt in twain, had one of the pieces ly up and strike him in the mouth, knocking out two of his teeth. Dr. Hosetler attended him.

will sell round trip tickets to the Sangerfest at New Orleans on February 8th, 9th feet at New Origins of February 303, 303 and 10th, good to return until February 21st; good only for continuous passage. For tickets call on T. Peniwell, city ticket agent, Central Block. 4-td

W. A. Comes' Restaurant.

DECATUR can have the 1890 encamp-Veterans, if her people will work for

W. A. Combs' Restaurant.

In 1857 the population of Decatur was 3660. Now it is 20,000. The limits of Decatur extend 3½ miles north and south

and 31, miles east and west.

well, 447 East Marietta street, on Friday evening, Feb. 7th. The leader wishes to see every member present. A short busipess session and prayer meeting will be held. All are cordially invited. Souls

for Christ is our motte.

W. A. Combs' Restaurant. You can save money and no mistake by purchasing musical matruments at C. B. Prescott's music store. His pianos are incomparable for perfection of tone and beauty of finish.

Drop in at Hanks & Patterson's popular grocery store for anything wanted for the table. Prompt delivery to any part

M nly in July, 1829, paid \$53,50 for the New Deming hotel lot. It was the first

fairest of the fair. THE official proceedings of the 18th annual reunion of the Illinois Association of Mexican War Veterans, held in Decatur September 13 and 14, have been published in neat form by Capt. J. W. Hartley, the state secretary, who has presented us a copy of the same. The preface is an extended write-up of the rapid growth

Gettysburg Lecture.

Gen. Mulholland's lecture and the finest representation of the battle of Gettysburg ever seen will be at the Grand Opera House on Friday evening, Feb. 7th, proceeds for the benefit of the relief fund of Dunham Post, No. 141, G. A. R. There will be a matinee for the children at 3:30 p. m., the children to be admitted for 10 cents each. Matinee prices for adults, 25 cents. Prices at night, 25, 35 and 50

Corner Main and William streets. The thirty-ninth Pupils' Recital will be given Thursday evening, Feb. 6.
All interested in the College are invited to attend.

ANNA W. Berry,

Owners of the Shoe Factory are Guests of Decatur.

They are Clever Gentlemen, Old in the Business and Earnest in Purpose.



Heating of Citizens and a Site Selecting Com

Mr. E. A. Glidden and Mr. Joseph Heuver, proprietors of the extensive shoe factory at Chester, Ill., which is soon to be removed to Decatur, arrived in the city last night and registered at the St. Nicholas hotel where they were greeted by a number of welcoming citizens, who found in Messrs. Henver and Glidden two genial gentlemen pleased with what they had heard and seen of Decatur. They chatted freely of the situation, and the change of location, but at that time were not in a position to

make any positive statements as to their

MEETI NO THIS MORNING. This forenoon the Chester gontlement were escorted by Secretary Clokey and George W. Powers to the office of the Decatur Board of Trade, where in a short time there gathered a large number of Decatur business men to meet the vis itors. Fully \$1,000,000 was represented at the meeting. Among the gentlemen present were Charles A. Ewing, chairman of the shoe factory mass meeting, D. S. Shellabarger, James Millikin, J. J. Peddecord, L. Burrows, K. H. Roby, D. W Brenneman, F. M. Young, B. K. Durfee H. Shlauderman, George W. Powers William Troyer, T. T. Roberts, Theron A. Powers, J. R. Mossor, O. Z. Greens, John A. Brown, J.M. Clokey, W. H. Bramble and

When the REPUBLICAN reporter entered the office the aroma of fragant Havanas filled the room, and the shoe factory and Decatur's advantages were being discussed in a general way. A SITE COMMITTEE.

C. A. Ewing was the chairman of the meeting. On motion of F. M. Young a committee of five was appointed to con fer with Messrs. Heuver and Glidden, and assist in the selection of a site for the factory, the committee to be empowered to act for the meeting in every capacity that the Rector, Church street. Admission 10 to close a contract with Henver & Glid-cents. Refreshments will be served. den on behalf of the citizens of Decatur for the establishment of their shoe factory in Decatur.

F. M. Young, James Millikin, J. M. Clokey, L. Burrows and K. H. Roby were named as members of the committee, and on motion C. A. Ewing was added to the committee.

This committee will give Heuver Glidden every opportunity to visit in person all of the desirable factory sites in the city. Those of our people who have available sites to offer are requested to communicate the fact to Chairman Young without delay. Do it at once. MEETING PUT OFF.

The adjourned mass meeting of citi zens, set for to-night, has been post-poned to next Saturday night, when all interested in the development of Decatur will assemble at the city hall. IT IS OUR FACTORY.

Heuver & Glidden, who have been in the shoe factory business for 20 years, ment of the Illinois Division of Sons of and have prospered, and bave always paid dollar for dollar, are more than pleased with Decatur, and as Decatur has met the requirements, the factory is as good as secured. The firm will have to quit business at Chester on June 1st, and they can not find a better point than Decatur. In all probability the site will be decided upon to-day, and the contract closed to-night or to-morrow.

The factory will come here with a large variety of improved machinery, foremen and skilled operatives, to instruct young women and men of Decatur in the art of making shoes. Fifty to seventy-five Decatur people will be given employment at once. The markets for the shoes are Cincinnati, Kansas City and other points.

The trade is established. Verily, Decatur has made a good start on the up-grade in the factory line, and all have reason to rejoice and congratulate our plucky citizens who have joined

in starting the boom. AN ELECTRIC COURTESY. This morning President Shellabarger invited Mesers. Henver & Glidden to take a ride in the vestibule palace can

over the entire line of the Uitizens' Electrie railway. The start will be made at tour o'clock

Dunham Post. All members of Danham Post 141, G. A. R., are equested to meet at the Post hall on Friday norning, at 9.30 o'clock, to attend the funera

f Comrade Edwin Philbrook. R. J. Roberts, Post Commander. NORMAN PRINCIE, Adjt.

On Thursday, February 13, William Coombe and John A. Henry will have combination sale of horses and cattle. one mile couth of Mt. Zion. See sale advertisement in another column.

Williams' Australian Herb Pills. If you are yellow, bilious, constipated, with headache, bad breath, drowsy, no appetite, look out, your liver is out of One box of these Pills will drive all the trouble away and make a new peing of you. Price, 25 cents. John A. Swearingen, agent,

GEN. MULHOLLAND, the manager of the Gettysburg panorama, is here and reports an immense success at Springfield, where the audience could not nearly all get into the house. Parties who have conght tickets should get their sents eserved at once.

New Feed Store.

Mr. Wm. Kossieck has opened a feed atore in the rear of F. W. Kossieck's grocery store, No. 156 South Main street. He will keep all kinds of mill feed, com and cats. hay, straw, etc., and will deliver the same to his customers. 4-d6

The Hatfield Milling Company is prepared to furnish to those who desire it corn, either shelled, chopped or in the ear, and oats, bran or shorts. They can also supply you with the best of flour. Telephone No. 41 and your order will be promptly delivered.

Gifted Musicians. By request of the pastor, Mrs. A. F.

lenison and her two children, Miss Hattie Jenison and Guy Jenison, contributed their talent last night to the interest o the revival in progress at the Baptist church. Music is a gift in the Jenison family, and it is always a pleasure to hear them. Last night, in the presence of a large congregation, Mrs. Jenison presided at the organ, and Miss Hattie with the cornet and Guy with the clarinet, gave a difficult trio, in capital style. Miss Hattie's execution on the tuneful cornet is that of an artist, who appreciates the beauty of delicate shading and the proper expression, and Guy is equally organ with excellent effect. The musiis to be congratulated on possessing such superior talent.

Electric Magnates.

President Frank E. Snow and W. A. Jackson, of Detroit, Mich., both officers of the National Electrical Supply Co., and both interested as stockholders in the Decator Short Line property, arrived in the city this morning, and to-day they had a business conference with Manager E. J. Martin. The company will soon have 20-horse power motors for the trucks, and important extensions of the line will be made during the coming

Sold at \$3.55. The other day John Ullrich sold 100 nead of hogs to Mr. Dawson, of Moultrie county, at \$3.55 per hundred.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Arthur Alexander is in Chicago. Judge Nelson is at Sullivan to-day. J. E. Saxton is in Chicago on business

Elder Buck went to Tuccola this morn-Charles Dresbach went to Casner to lay on business.

Mrs. O. B. Gorin is entertaining Mrs E. J. Harpstrite, the jeweler, is in St Jacob Miller, of Mt. Vernon, Ill., is th

guest of A. F. Ross and family. Mrs. J. E. Saxton, of the 99c store, de parted this morning for Ohicago. Mrs. Michael McGinty is seriously il at her home, caused by a cold.

J. D. McGaffey returned from a busi ness trip to Mt. Pulaski this morning. Joe Bishop, of the Pacific Express Co. s in Springfield attending a very sick

erster. H. H. Crea, master-in-chancery tor Piatt count", came over from Monticello

Mrs. B. P. Noble is seriously ill at her home, No. 334 South Main street, with an attack of pleurisy. Dr. Walbridge visited Blue Mound his afternoon on professional business

He will return to-right.

Mrs. H. T. Bailey, of Columbus, Ohio, is the guest of her brother, John A. Dawson and family, at 255 Prairie

Mrs. J. D. McGaffey departed this fore-noon for Champaign, where she will visit relatives. Before returning she will visit W. J. Condell returned home last night from Springfield, where he attended the

funeral of his aged sister, which was conducted by Rev. W. N. McElroy. George Fudge, a carpenter in the Wabash shops, is in Springfield to-day at-tending the tuneral of his mother, who lied in that city Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Neilie Wilcox, of Springfield, is on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore, of 314 North Franklin street, went to Clinton yesterday afternoon. Ed. C. Bassey has resigned his position as book-keeper for the firm of H. Mueller, Manufacturing Co. Robert Mueller suc-

ceeds Mr. Bassey and will assume plete control of the offices. Mrs. W. R. Gilchrist, of Lincoln, arrived in the city to-day. She is here to attend the funeral of the late Edwin Philbrook, which will take place from the Episcopal church Friday morning at

11 o'clock. W. N. Starr, a leading citizen of Ashland. Ohio, arrived in the city this morn ing on a visit to his nephews, W. H. Starr, Joseph Starr and Harry Starr and to meet his brother, Renben Starr, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., who has been in De-catur since last fall. The gentlemen paid the REPUBLICAN an agreeable call

JAMES MURPHY, telegraph operator and night agent of the Wabash railway at Edwardsville Junction, was surprised by two masked and armed men about 1 o'clock vesterday morning. He was bound and tied to a chair, one of the men standing guard over him while the other searched him and got his keys, by which they got into the money drawer, which, fortunately, contained but \$12.65. They then gagged him and left. Mr. Murphy finally succeeded in freeing his hands and getting loose. There is no

clew to the robbers. Funeral of Edwin Philbrook. The funeral will take place from the Episcopal church on Friday morning at 11 o'clock. The casket will not be opened at the church. Friends are invited to call at the residence, 706 West Prairie Avenue, between 9 and 10 o'clock Friday morning. Rev. M. M. Goodwin will efficiste at the church, and Dunbam Post 141, G. A. R., will have charge of the burial ceremonies.

Change in the Ice Trade. W. H. Diss has bought out the Boley

W. H. Diss has bought out the Lording Ice Co, and will continue the business heretofore conducted by T. L. Antrim. I will be prepared to handle the Crystal Ice from Shlaudeman's factory, and having had four year's experience in Decatur in the employ of Mr. Antrim I flatter myself that I know what the trade here needs. For the present the office will be at 538 North Main street. Telephone 176. W. H. Diss. Feb. 5-d2 THERE was a large attendance at the

U. B. church last night. Mr. King took for his text Isaiah, 48 chapter, 16th to 18th verse inclusive, and preached a sermon of great tenderness and depth of religous feeling. He told his hearers the danger there is of the christian losing his powers if he fails to improve his opportunities of doing God's will. The after meeting was full of feeling and spirit. Three arose for prayers and two others came forward and one was converted. Meeting to-night at 7:30. All are wel-

Goodman's Band will give a grand masquerade ball at Guard's Armory on Thursday evening, February 13th, for which the best of music will be provided. jan25-dtd Tickets, 50c.

THE JURY SAYS HE IS INSANE

Lee White, the Crazy Horse Thief, Acquitted on One Charge.

The somewhat complicated horse-stealing case of The People vs. Lee White, alias Lee Jones, a fine appearing man of 56 years, was settled in the circuit court this forenoon by the jury bringing in a verdict of not guilty, and although it was admitted that he had stolen the Dr. J. W. Mitchell horse, the particular one in question, the jury relieved the defendant of punishment by finding that he was insane at the time he took the horse, The jurymen were out all night discussgood. Mrs. Jenison manipulated the ling the verdict they should find, and had time to learn that 9 of their number were cians are members of the church, which Republicans and 3 Democrats; that their average weight was 1661/2 pounds, and their average age 38 and one-sixth years. At the start the jury stood 9 for acquittal

and 3 for conviction. When the verdict was read in court, Judge Vail complimented the jury on their finding, and said that the verdict was a proper one. The defendant was taken back to jail,

to await the disposition of other horsestealing indictments against him. The instory of the singular conduct of White 20 is interesting. He has had a weakness for Decatur horses and was cunning enough to escape detection until Marshal Mason got after him. On July 13 of last year he stole Joshna Green's horse and buggy in Decatur; on August 8, he took Thomas Judd's Indian pony; on Sept. 8 he got away with Andrew Dennie' horse and luggy, and also a road-eart from Robert Wilkinson. On October 17, he buggy. Nearly all of the horses were disposed of in the vicinity of Pekin, and Peoria, Ill. The Dennis horse was turned loose at Newman, and about all of the

White was adjudged insane in the Fulton county court in 1881. He was in an asylum 18 months. To look at him on wouldn't think him crazy. He is smooth in all his work. At Pekin he played the religious dodge on the good people and it is learned that he contracted for the sale of horses in advance of the thefts.

mimals have been recovered,

In all probability the other case against hun will be dismissed, and be will be adjudged insone again and placed in confinement. He had better be fenced in somewhere to prevent further thieving

He has a brother, George White, a Newman, 111., who is a leading business man of the place, moves in the best society and is well off. He stood by Lee at the trial, and employed Lawyer Webber to defend him.

WE are authorized to state officially at the suggestion of a long-headed member of The Society that the substantial interest Decatur has taken in the location of the shoe factory at this flourishing Mr. and Mrs. Levi Towl are visiting point, is all owing to the fact that the their son, Elmer, at Bloomington. He is a student at the Illinois Wesleyan Unitracks. This is what caught the society, point, is all owing to the fact that the and a meeting will be held to-night at 12 bells to pony up subscriptions.

Circuit Court Notes.

Charles 8 Smith, a colored stepographe whose home is at Marshall, Ill., was in court several hours, yesterday, afternoon, and he took options notes for practice in the Frank Foster overty case. Charley had been at Monticello with Judge South, but as there was but little to do he left for home to return again Manday. He ocidant Ren Wenver in the Warnser case a rbana, and expects heavy work at Monticelle when the James Fazpatrick murder to

. Frank Foster is on thal for forgery - His attorneys are David Hutchison and Cyrus Ran-dolph, and State's Attorney Mills is conducting the prosecution. Nearly two years age, it is charged, Foster forged Mrs. A. N. Diehl's name to a check for \$500 and got the money at Milli-klu & Co.'s bank. He skepped out, but was arstill ax a. Staint. The skipped and, an was air-rested. He was in jail spate awhile, not was released when his mother came over from Pekin and furnished security for his appearance Mrs. Dight is not in court to prosecute, but Mr.

halge Vail let three young colored lads go free They had been convicted for gatning, and were discharged as paipers. John Hawkins stood up with his little bundle of clothes under his gum and said he had no money. "Well," said the Judge, "you can go home to supper," and he went. One small chap, not more than 12, was esa discharged; he stopped back to the railing, when George White, of Newman, who had been vatching the boy, stepped over to his side and asked him why he had been inducted. The kid glibly responded: "Oh, they took me in for shooting dice!" White was puzzled, but neveitheless, he gave vent to his sympathy and handed the boy a quarter. White afterward asked a friend what the boy meant by bly answer, and then learned that the kid had been eaught playing the popular colored game of "graps." White laugned heartily, and confesser that he might have known that that was the game "Anyhow," he said, "the kid will have a stake in that quarter, and if he is lucky he will

The Gettysburg Exhibition. The Buttle of Gettysburg at the Grand to-morrow afternoon and night will show in realistic pictures each stage of that onflict. The G. A. R. is interested in he entertainment and it is under its auspices that it receives this, its first production in this city. The Joliet Sur

Bays:

Bileoo's painting of the Battle of Gettysburk, shown at the opera house yesterday afternoon and evening, drew immense crowds. At the matnee several hundred people were turned away, being mable to get inside. In the evening another large audience was present.

Gen. St. Clair A. Munholland explained the battle scenes as they were passing before the audience, doing it in such a manner that all could understand it, and especially to the old solider was it interesting, those old scenes of the flerce conflicts of war. The paintings are new and bright, and true to nature; and such as are bound to give satisfaction wherever shown. It is safe to say that should Gen. Munholland bring the Battle of Gettysburg to Jollet again, he could not begin to get the people into the opera house.

Another large congregation almost will be the subject.

Sales of Real Estate. Joel Bishop to Frank Bowman, deed to

deed to lot 4, block 2, of Thomas' sub-division of the southeast quarter of 12, 16, 2 east, **\$**230. MARRIED.

At the St. Nicholas hotel, on February 5, by Rev. T. W. Finkerton, Henry Buckles and Miss Jennie Buckles, both of Mt. Pulaski, Ili.

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s' Cloth Newmarkets, \$3.75reduced from	8,50
Beaver Newmarkets, \$9.00 reduced from	20.00
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W. A. Combs' Restaurant THERE are 75,313 Knights Templar in the United States out of 80,000 in the

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Y. M. C. A. board of directors will be held this evening. A full attendance is

noon and night. White Loar flour can be had at all the eading grocery stores.

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THE John Ullrich & Son stock sale will take place at the farm near Loving-

THE Terre Haute & Peoria R. R. Co

The Division would bring 2,000 young vets here for a week and thousands of

W. A. Comes' Restaurant. The Society of Christian workers will neet at the residence of Bro. B. Crom-

of the city. Local historians say the first store in Decatur stood on the site of the New Deming hotel, and was owned by James Renshaw, who came here from Shelbyville, Ill. Gen. I. C. Pugh was the second merchant. He came from Vandalia. John

lot sold. The second lot sold for \$12.50. A BEAUTIFUL young lady became so badly disfigured with pimples and blotches that it was feared she would die of grief. A friend recommended Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which she took, and was completely cured. She is now one of the

and extensive manufacturing industries of Decatur.

Decatur Musical College,

The Hatfield Milling Company.

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soon be rolling in wealth."

The Baptist Church.

filled the ground floor of the Baptist church last night. Dr. Vosburgh gave seven reasons in his sermon, "Why People Should Become Christians." Miss Berry's solo was very fine. Gay and Hattie Jenison played a sweet duet on the cornet and clarinet. The after meeting filled the chapel to overflowing. Two were converted. Preaching again tonight, when "Difficult Problems Solved"

ot 16, block 9, Smith & Co.'s addition, John L. Thomas to Evan Thomas, ir.

The maple are second cousins. At his office on February 4, by Ira B. Curtis, I. P., Harry W. Dupu, of Atlanta, Logan county, and Miss Sadie Ellen Miller, of Niantic. In his parlor at the Hotel Brunswick, February 5, by Ira B Curtis, J. P., Albert W. McCabaud Miss Nettie M. Cole, both of Bement, Ill.

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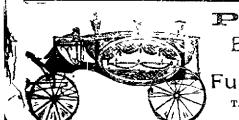
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AN OLD PILOT'S REMINISCENCES

What (apt J W Campbell Has to Say Cut I W Can pbell of Fort Madison It a promor pilot of the upper Mississiple writes this about the past and present I merged from the hazel tik is first pops at the wide world be-ynd. If iving been infaturated in early writh with the citiesh and drift log busty is but natural I should seck a nuti dipurat Consequently I drift-if n bud an upper Mississippi steam at ull an to serv is a cub pilot an Hua_m II ust late if a cub is to the liference between fore it la ri mistibrad—und Gilbria a ush to d termine if the

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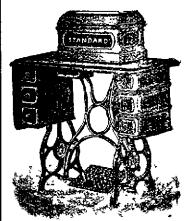
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